Secretary of Housing and Urban Development

The President announced the recess appointment of Juanita Alicia Vasquez-Gardner as a member of the Board of Trustees of the Harry S. Truman Scholarship Foundation (State Court).

The President announced the recess appointment of Adam Marc Lindemann as a member of the Advisory Board for Cuba Broadcasting.

The President announced the recess appointment of Edward Brehm as a member of the Board of Directors of the African Development Foundation.

Nominations Submitted to the Senate

NOTE: No nominations were submitted to the Senate during the period covered by this issue.

Checklist of White House Press Releases

The following list contains releases of the Office of the Press Secretary that are neither printed as items nor covered by entries in the Digest of Other White House Announcements.

Released May 24

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary: Visit of President Hamid Karzai of Afghanistan

Statement by the Press Secretary: President Bush Invites Leaders From the Greater Middle East to the G-8 Summit in Sea Island

Excerpts of the President's remarks on Iraq and the war on terror at the United States Army War College in Carlisle, PA

Fact sheet: The Transition to Iraqi Self-Government

Released May 25

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Iowa

Statement by the Press Secretary on disaster assistance to Nebraska

Fact sheet: Expanding Access to Health Care for Millions of Americans

Released May 26

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary: President Bush Invites Turkey to G–8 Summit as Democratic Partner

Released May 27

Transcript of a press gaggle by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary: Sudan Peace Agreement

Fact sheet: Transforming Health Care for All Americans

Released May 28

Transcript of a press briefing by Press Secretary Scott McClellan

Statement by the Press Secretary announcing that the President signed H.R. 408, H.R. 708, H.R. 856, H.R. 923, H.R. 1598, and H.R. 3104

Acts Approved by the President

Approved May 28

H.R. 408 / Public Law 108–229 To provide for expansion of Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lakeshore

H.R. 708 / Public Law 108–230

To require the conveyance of certain National Forest System lands in Mendocino National Forest, California, to provide for the

use of the proceeds from such conveyance for National Forest purposes, and for other purposes

H.R. 856 / Public Law 108–231 To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to revise a repayment contract with the Tom Green County Water and Control and Improvement District No. 1, San Angelo project, Texas, and for other purposes

H.R. 923 / Public Law 108–232 Premier Certified Lenders Program Improvement Act of 2004 H.R. 1598 / Public Law 108–233 Irvine Basin Surface and Groundwater Improvement Act of 2004

H.R. 3104 / Public Law 108–234
To provide for the establishment of separate campaign medals to be awarded to members of the uniformed services who participate in Operation Enduring Freedom and to members of the uniformed services who participate in Operation Iraqi Freedom